

THE GAZETTE.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 6.

THE NATIONAL CONVENTION

JUNE 10, 1888.

TO THE REPUBLICAN EXERCISES OF THE UNITED STATES: In accordance with usage and precedent, the instructions of the national republican convention of 1881, a national convention of the republican party will be held at the city of Chicago, Ill., on Tuesday, the 10th day of June, 1888, at 12 o'clock, noon, for the purpose of nominating candidates for President and Vice President to be supported at the next national election, and for the transaction of such other business as may be there presented.

The republican election in the several states, and voters without regard to past political affiliations, differences of action who believe in the American principle of a protective tariff for the defense and development of home industries and the elevation of home labor, who would reduce the national taxes and prevent the accumulation of the surplus in the treasury in harmony with this principle; who are opposed to the attempt now more openly avowed than ever before to establish a policy which would strip down American labor to the level of the underpaid and oppressed workers of foreign lands; who favor a system of naval and coast defenses which will enable the United States to conduct its international negotiations with respect; who are in favor of a fair and equal share of the country, who condemn and resent the continued and unjust exclusion of rapidly growing territories, which have an indisputable title to admission into the sisterhood of states who are in favor of free schools and popular education, a free and honest ballot and a fair count, the protection of every citizen of the United States in his legal rights at home and abroad, a foreign policy that shall extend our trade and commerce to every land and climate, and shall properly support the dignity of the nation and the promotion of friendly and harmonious relations and intercourse between all the states, are cordially invited to unite under this call in the formation of a national ticket.

Each state will be entitled to four delegates at large, and for each representative at large two delegates, and each congressional district one delegate; and the District of Columbia to two delegates.

The delegates-at-large shall be chosen by popular state conventions, called in not less than twenty days' published notice and not less than thirty days before the meeting of the national convention. The congressional district delegates shall be chosen in the same manner as the nomination of a member of congress made in said districts. The territorial delegates shall be chosen in the same manner as the nomination of delegates in congress is made. The delegates from the District of Columbia shall be chosen at a convention constituted of members elected in the primary district assemblies held under the call and direction of the republican central committee of said district. An alternate delegate in writing, unaccompanied by printed statements of the grounds of contest which shall be made public. Preference in the order of hearing and determining contests will be given by the convention in accordance with the dates of filing of such notices and statements with the national committee.

H. F. JONES, Chairman.

SAMUEL F. FESSENDEN, Secretary.

Washington, Dec. 8, 1887.

Mr. Cleveland may yet find it up-Hill business to get the New York delegation.

There does not seem to be any perceptible rise in Bacon, although Ignatius Donnelly is trying to give it a boom.

The losses by incendiary fires in this country are said to increase from year to year. Last year the loss due to this cause is estimated at 25 per cent. The insurance companies have themselves largely to blame, because of the temptations they place by taking reckless risks in the way of men who are sometimes hard pushed by the necessities of trade.

The last annual report of the state assessor of New York shows an increase in the taxable property in the state of \$138,445,000. The total valuation is \$3,025,000,000—and of this \$1,323,666,000 is credited to New York county. The valuation has increased \$1,278,000,000 in the last four years. This is an increase of 75 per cent., or nearly 19 per cent. a year less.

Robert Lowry, who nominated Congressman White's seat, was an Indiana "pro democrat" and pleaded guilty to the indictment for swindling Union soldiers during the war. So says a Washington correspondent.—*Milwaukee Sentinel.*

A Washington correspondent not only says that, but the records say it. Lowry is just the man the democrats want in congress. He is low enough to do the dirtiest tricks the democratic politicians can name, and therefore would make a useful democratic member. But he won't get there. Mr. Randall and a few other decent democrats who think more of political integrity than they do of gaining power through fraud, will vote to retain White.

Senator Sawyer is not in favor of reducing the postage on letters from two to one cent. To do so would be to take from the shoulders of fully 30,000,000 of people a very decided tax. Would not that be a wise thing to do? Those who do not write letters themselves get their friends to write for them. It would not be such an immense reduction to any individual, but it would be a reduction which millions of people would appreciate.—*San Diego Telegraph.*

The senate postoffice committee seems to have been on the wrong track when it reported against the reduction of postage. When the government has more revenue than it can judiciously expend, and when there are such wide differences of opinion as to how the revenue shall be reduced, it appears that it would not be a wise step to reduce the postage to one cent on letters. Such a reduction would help everybody who writes letters—the poor as well as the rich—and therefore would affect the general good.

A dispatch from Des Moines says that Judge Henderson, Mrs. Woods, Mrs. Aldrich and other prominent prohibition workers, have appeared before the committee for suppression of intemperance, to set before them another bill relating to the sale of intoxicating liquors. The bill is said to meet more favor than the Oster bill. The main features are as follows:

It places the sale of liquor in the hands

of druggists, who to get permits must secure the names of one-third of the voters in their wards or townships and an equal number of women over 21 years; they must give bonds for \$3,000, liable to penalties and costs. Any clerk selling liquor must be a registered pharmacist. Certificates of sale must be made the same as now, except that they shall be numbered and have the seal of the county auditor. A buyer making false affidavit is to be deemed guilty of perjury and giving a false name guilty of forgery. A druggist must show that he has never been convicted of crime or addicted to the use of intoxicating liquors.

It is a strange thing that this movement of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, should exempt beer, when another bill, before the Iowa legislature framed by the State Temperance Alliance, affects beer as well as whiskey, and to this the Temperance Union is opposed. If the prohibitory law of Iowa is defective, the better way to repair it, would be for all the temperance organizations in the state to unite in the effort to make the law as effective as possible. By scattering their forces, they will not make matters any better.

The other day Senator Dan Voorhees was credited with the saying that Don. Dickinson, the new postmaster general, was the first full-fledged democrat to enter the cabinet. This remark was far from the truth when it is understood that each cabinet officer has made almost a clean sweep in his department. But Dickinson has more vigor and brains than any other member of the cabinet since Dan Manning left it, and this fact drew from Voorhees the compliment paid the Michigan statesman. The earmarks of Mr. Dickinson can be seen already in Michigan politics. A dispatch from Sault Ste. Marie says that Mr. Dickinson is making a strong effort to defeat Mr. Seymour, the republican nominee for congress in that district; that Dickinson has agreed to send from \$8,000 to \$10,000 from Washington, and as much more was to be raised in that state from federal officeholders and others. Last Friday night a secret all night meeting was held in Marquette. Among those present were Collector J. B. Maloney of Detroit, United States District Attorney Goodwin, of Grand Rapids, Postoffice Inspector Stickney of St. Louis, Deputy Collector McVie of Ishpeming, and many others. Goodwin, it is said, brought \$8,000 sent from Washington. After a pay was it was divided into \$100 to \$500 packages and on Saturday was distributed to different parts of the district. Assessments are being made on all federal officeholders in the state and others to make up the other \$8,000. This kind of a warfare pleases the democrats. They like the kind of civil service reform they like, and it is such work as this that makes the bourbon democrats claim that in Dickinson, they see the brains of the cabinet.

Mr. Moffatt, the republican member, died last December, and an election has been called to fill the vacancy. It is a republican district, the majority being nearly 8,000. Mr. Seymour is a strong man personally, and a good man politically, and Dan. Dickinson's \$10,000 cannot defeat him.

MOVING A KANSAS TOWN.

Meritt's Poles Up Its Ribs and Seeks Better Location. Ten Miles Distance.

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SPECIAL TELEGRAMS.

The North Chicago Rolling Mills Again in Full Operation

Ready to Turn Out Five Hundred Tons of Finished Rails Daily.

No Further Trouble Anticipated With the Strikers at Pittsburg.

ROLLING MILLS AT WORK.

Special to the Gazette.

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 6.—The North Chicago Rolling Mills, which have been closed for the past two months for repairs, reopened this morning, and are now ready to turn out daily five hundred tons of finished rails.

THE SOLAR IRON WORKS.

Special to the Gazette.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Feb. 6.—There has been no further trouble developed at the Solar Iron Works in this city since Saturday. The mills were closed yesterday and re-opened to-day, with an increased force of non-union men; over one hundred (all colored) are now at work in the mills. The yards are closely guarded. The strikers are full of threats. The police are ready for any emergency.

THROWN FROM A CARRIAGE.

Special to the Gazette.

GLASGOW, Scotland, Feb. 6.—Dr. Stephen and wife and a man named Robertson, an American, were thrown out of a carriage this morning while being driven to the depot to catch a train. All were badly injured.

THE PARNELLITES.

Special to the Gazette.

LONDON, Feb. 6.—Parnell has called a meeting of his party for Thursday evening prior to the opening of parliament.

HORSES CREMATED.

Special to the Gazette.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—Fifteen horses were cremated in James Davis' livery stable at an early hour this morning.

DISASTROUS EXPLOSION.

Five Men Killed and Two Fatally Injured by a Crash in an Ohio Saw-Mill.

FAIRPORT, N. Y., Feb. 6.—Information reached here Friday of the explosion of a boiler connected with a saw-mill, near Belmont, O. Albinus Arnold was firing heavily to get up steam, when a peculiar noise came from the valve, becoming frightened, Arnold went to his father, who was at the saw, and told him to go to the boiler-room. Hardly had they exchanged places when the explosion occurred. The older Arnold was struck in a piece of the boiler and had his head torn from his shoulders. A neighbor named Charles Sullivan was thrown fifty yards, half of the boiler falling on him. He was severely crushed to a jelly. Benjamin Travis had the side of his face crushed, both legs and arms broken and soon died. Joseph Stubbs, an employee, was struck in the head by a piece of heavy timber and almost instantly killed. Frank Warrick, Samuel Stubbs and Martin Gillow were terribly scalded, one of them having both eyes put out. Stubbs has since died. The other two can not recover. The mill, which was owned by the elder Arnold, is a wreck. About twenty other persons were at the mill when the peculiar noise before referred to caused them to scatter. Young Arnold was unharmed.

REMARKABLE ACCIDENT.

A Broken Telephone Wire Causes the Death of a Man and a Horse. While Several Persons Receive Severe Internal Shock.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 6.—A boy named Taylor was driving a grocery sleigh along Washington street, and just passing Bridge street early Sunday morning, when the horse stepped on a telephone wire which had become crossed with an electric-light wire, and was instantly killed. As the horse was falling, the boy touched his whip lightly to him and received a severe shock, throwing him to the ground. Isaac Meulien, a colored porter, running on the Michigan Central and living at Detroit, who was passing at that time, went to the driver's assistance, and, touching the fatal wire, was instantly killed. The body was taken to an ambulance and taken to the hospital in hope of reviving life, but to no avail. A number of spectators who drew around to help were given shocks through handling the body of the dead man.

HORRIBLY MANGLED.

A Woman's Awful Experience with a Lion at a Performance in Dublin.

DUBLIN, Feb. 6.—At the conclusion of a performance at the Grand Theatre, a woman named Arnold, Charles Sullivan, Benjamin Travis, Joseph and Samuel Stubbs, Frank Warrick and Martin Gillow were terribly scalded, the former having both eyes put out.

The breath of a chronic calarrh patient is often so offensive that he becomes an object of disgust. After a time a situation arises in the epiphyseal bones is a constant source of discomfort in the dripping of the perspiration excretions into the throat, sometimes producing intolerable breathlessness, which in the turn has been the cause of pulmonary disease. The brilliant results which have attended the use for years past properly prepared Ely's Cream Balm as by far the best and only cure.

Stocks Depressed.

LONDON, Feb. 6.—The war scare is causing a depression in the stock markets of London, Paris, Berlin and New York. There is much anxiety as to what Prince Bismarck will say in the German Parliament next Monday, when he will present the Government's request for credits for military purposes.

The League to Be Suppressed.

DUNN, Feb. 6.—The *Express* says the Government has resolved upon the total suppression of the National League, and that the press will not be allowed the slightest loophole for escape from punishment for offenses under the Criminal law.

Libby Prison to Be Preserved.

CHICAGO, Feb. 6.—A Chicago syndicate has nearly completed arrangements to move Libby prison to this city, where it will be restored and made a museum for relics of the war.

"Patience is the key to joy," and "Vigilant Bitter is the key to health and happiness."

Grand clearing out sale every day for the next two weeks to reduce stock before our annual inventory.

BONT, BAILEY, & Co.

A BROKEN FROG.

A Fatal Smash-Up on the "Empire" Railroad.

THE WRECK OCCURS AT STEAMBOAT, N. Y.

Three Persons Lose Their Lives and Thirteen Receive Serious Injuries.—Full Details in the Catastrophe.

DEATH WITHOUT WARNING.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 6.—Three people were killed and thirteen hurt in a smash-up on the New York, Pennsylvania & Ohio railway at Steamboat, a station half-way between Salamanca and Jamestown, at 11 o'clock yesterday morning. The lightning express—the fastest train on the road—was half an hour late and was traveling through the little town at a terrific rate of speed. While passing a freight train which had been stuck-track the engine of the express struck a broken frog over which it passed safely, but the way coach left the track and crashed into the freight cars, the sides of both cars being torn to splinters. On that side of the coach was Miss Fattie Abbott, aged 20, and two relatives, Mrs. Cyra Dickey and Miss Bessie Dickey, all three of Buffalo, Ill. Miss Abbott was killed almost instantly. Mrs. Dickey was dangerously injured. The accident and Miss Dickey was slightly hurt. There were about a dozen passengers in the car and not one escaped injury. O. W. McNeill, of Covington, Ky., received a bad scalp wound, and Mr. James H. Hattie, of Buffalo, Pa., was seriously injured. In the caboose of the freight train the conductor George Ellis and brakeman James Dean, both of Meadville, were killed. Dr. Frank H. Shaffer, also of Meadville, was terribly injured and can hardly live, while the fourth man miraculously escaped without a scratch. A number of freight cars were completely demolished. Beyond a severe shaking up no one in the sleeping coaches of the express was injured.

The track inspector had passed over the track twice during the two hours immediately preceding the accident, the last time about five minutes before, and found the switch and frog all right. The only possible cause for the accident, it is thought, has been broken by the engine or baggage-car in passing over it, as the trainmen on the engine and baggage-car noticed no jar whatever.

AN AWFUL TRAGEDY.

A Georgia Man Kills His Wife, Her Sister, His Son and Himself.

ALBANY, Ga., Feb. 6.—In Baker County a negro, Henry Phillips, went to call upon Amos Grant in the kitchen Phillips saw the body of Grant hanging by a rope. The sheriff was at once notified, when the house was broken open and a horrible sight revealed. The entire family was found lying dead. On the bed was the mangled body of Mrs. Bessie Grant, on the floor her sister, Emma Harris, and in one corner the 13-year-old son, Tom Grant. A bloody knife was found under the house. There was ill-feeling between Grant and his wife, and it is increased of late and she had declared her intention of leaving him. He spread the report that they had gone, to explain their non-appearance, and, not being able to dispose of their bodies, committed suicide.

Hopkins Convicted.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 6.—The jury in the case, United States against Benjamin H. Hopkins, late assistant treasurer of the fidelity Bank, brought a verdict Saturday morning of guilty as charged for the district.

Iron and Steel Works Burned.

CLEVELAND, O., Feb. 6.—While experimenting with a new system of pipes for conducting the fuel-oil from the tanks to the boiler, the Cleveland Iron and Steel works of the first in the rolling-mill department of the Cleveland Iron and Steel works Saturday morning a leak in the pipes allowed the oil to escape, and it in some way ignited, enveloping the whole building in a very few minutes. The structure, with machinery, will be a total loss, amounting to \$50,000; insurance, \$45,000.

The Copper Trade.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—During the week copper covered an extreme range of sixty points, with the result that the market closed Saturday night twenty points above the previous week. The quantity of copper in store here has been reduced during the month of January between 11,000,000 and 12,000,000 pounds of the 200,000,000 on hand, independent of the daily arrivals at this port from the lakes and Baltimore, which has also disappeared.

Pipe Losses.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—The new year starts off with a fire record which will far surpass that of last year if it maintains its present proportions. The total fire losses of 1887 were \$2,000,000, an increase of \$1,000,000 over 1886. The losses in January, 1888, were \$7,012,535; last month, \$1,320,855, and in the first two days of February nearly \$2,000,000 worth of property was destroyed.

An Illinois Road Reincorporated.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 6.—The Chicago, Illinois & Southern Railway Company, with a capital stock of \$500,000, for the purpose of constructing a railroad from Chicago to Springfield, has filed articles incorporating the company with a slight change to the effect that a branch be constructed to the city of St. Louis.

A Big Mortgage.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 6.—The Mayville & Big Sandy Railroad Company Saturday executed a mortgage in Covington to the Union Trust Company, of New York, for \$7,500,000. The mortgage was signed by C. P. Huntington as president, and who is virtually owner of the road, and was given to secure bonds issued by the Trust Company.

Full Weight Pure.

DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER.

MOST PERFECT MADE.

Is superior excellence proven in millions of uses by the United States Government. Endorsed by the heads of the great Universities, and the highest medical authorities.

Price's Cream Baking Powder does not contain any poisonous or deleterious ingredients. It is pure and healthful.

NEW YORK. CHICAGO. ST. LOUIS.

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Was our Saturday's trade in DRESS GOODS, and all of our customers went away happy.

OUR SPECIALTY ON SATURDAY FEBRUARY, 11TH.

WILL BE

Linen and - White - Goods,

which we will sell you for one day only, at the following extremely low prices.

Loom Damask - worth 30c for 20c

Loom Damask - worth 45c " 30c

Loom Damask - worth 60c " 40c

Loom Damask - worth 65c " 45c

Loom Damask - worth 85c " 55c

TURKEY RED DAMASK.

50 Pieces for this sale at 25c per yard.

Our 75c quality Turkey Red for 50c

Our 85c quality Turkey Red for 65c

NAPKINS.

Usual price 75c per dozen for 8 50

Usual price \$1.00 per dozen for 75

Usual price \$1.25 per dozen for 90

Usual price \$1.50 per dozen for 1.25

Usual price \$2.00 per dozen for 1.50

Usual price \$2.50 per dozen for 2.00

Usual price \$3.00 per dozen for 2.25

TOWELS.

Huck Towels - worth 20c for 10c

Damask Towels - worth 35c " 20c

Damask Towels - worth 40c " 25c

Damask Towels, knotted fringe - worth 50c " 30c

Damask Towels, knotted fringe - worth 60c " 35c

Also a large line of Turkish Towels at special figures. Two hundred prices Crash included in this sale.

WHITE GOODS.

Worth 10c - for 6 1/2

Worth 15c - for 10c

Worth 20c - for 15c

Worth 25c - for 18c

Worth 30c - for 20c

Remember that we still continue to sell CLOAKS AT HALF PRICE, and a Jersey Jacket FREE to each purchaser of a garment.

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